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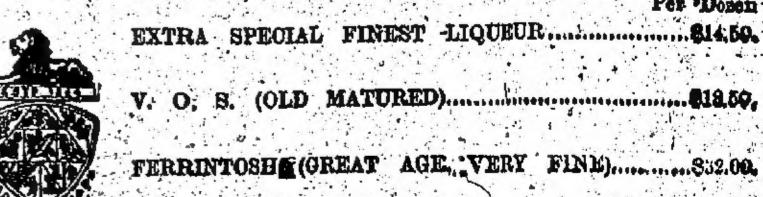
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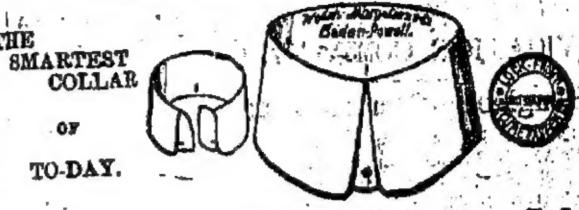


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Hongkong, May 10, 1%6.

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LONDON, Murch 30. The Moulton case is now to go up to the House of Lords. When Mr Fletcher Moulton's wife did, her husband became sole trustee for his daughters who are now suing him for accounts of their share of the estate. It seems that he lumped all the shares together, and, maintained the whole family out of the whole sum, bel eving that he had an agreement with the heires es that this should be done. They deny the existence of such an agreement and two courts have upheld their contention. Mr Justice Joyce approved their claim for accounts, but directed a per contra account for the expense to which they had put their stepfather for their maintenance, but this has been swent away by the Master of the Rolls in the Court of Appeal. As the defendent is pow himself a Lord Justice, the . case is of special interest, illustrating the difficulties that even an eminent lawyer may find around 1376 him when he attempts to legislate for his own household. The wise physician never prescribes for himself.

> The appointment of Mr John Burns to the presidency of the Local Covernment Board seemed an innovation, but far more startling results have been produced from: the selection of Mr. Winston Churchill for the Under Secretaryship for the Colonies; He has far ovenhadowed his titular, chief the Earl of Elgin, and South African politics are moving with a rush. Lord Milner retired from his appoinment with out pension or reward, but Mr Churchil bas pursued him into retirement with a dis. guised vote of sepsure (reversed last night in the House of Lords). Now the Natal Ministry have rasigned en bloobecause Lord Eigin has insuled on oversiding their decision confirming the sentence of death passed on tweive natives convicted t murdering a policomen. The Under See retary has already told us of his intention to use the power of veto freely in the Transyaal but it seems that even so sold (colony as loyal Natal is not to have its own way in a matter of purely executive action.

The contest in the Eye division of Suffolk (polling next Friday) is a sadies bestly, between the pretty sweetheart and the charming wife. Mrs Pearson wishes to win the seat for her husband, while Lady Mary Hamilton intends to secure it as a wedding present to her fiance the Marquisof Graham Yesterday Loohiel married the Marquist sister. Lady Hermione Graham, an interesting union of the leading Jacobite and Royalist families. Camerons and Grahams have been together on many occasions when there was need to draw a loya sword. Sir Ewen Cameton of Lochiel fought by the side of the famous Marquis of Montrose, and forty years later, at the right hand of another gallant Graham Dundee, at Killieorankie.

Scottish whicky distillers have held a great, meeting in Glasgow to approve the prosecution of an appeal against Mr Fordham's decision in the whisky case and to press for an authoritative decision on the question, "What is Whisky?" Pot. still spirit is as good when first made as it ever intends to be, but of course a blend of the two is expable of msturing if stored. properly. It seems that the ignorant southern palate appreciates such a bland. It is nothing to such consumers, that a large proportion of what they call whisky is silent spirit flavoured with the genuine. aricle and the result of the distillation of products of almost any kind of grain or farinacoous matter that you mi bt name. For years to o me the subject will be a. stimulating one.

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to their suterialners. One no eworthy circumstance was the reverence they showed to the memory of Nelson whose tomb in St Paul's they visited. They laided on a snowy day, but the four days of their stay gave them specimens of all kinds of British weather, except the characteristic London fog. Music Halls, Crystal Palace, the Tower, Westminster Abbey, the Houses of Parliament—they saw as much as could be seen and will long remember the cordiality of their welcome and the attractiveness of

The Country Council have sanctioned the lending to a syndicate of the valuable centre lot of the crescent shaped site between Aldwych and the Strand. The area is about three acres. On it will be erected 176 shops facing a circular promenade, with in the centre a restaurant and a sheatre. This is the " Paris in London " scheme at which the Council declined to look before their visit to Paris opened their minds as to the desirability of introducing a little Parisian gaiety here.

. The Bodleian are to have their £3,000 Folio but the Trustees of the British Museum are unable to recommend the purchase of the Nelson Memorandum for £3,600 It is unpleasant to see how those who procure objects of interest raise the price. against the nation, always (of course) by fair business methods. It has been sagely remarked that there is a good deal of human nature about most men.

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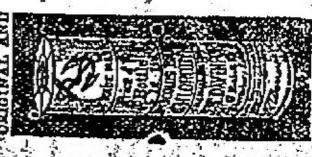
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Miscellancous. Goods per Willhad undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memorar la.

date subject to rent. PLEYEL PIANOS date will be landed.

> THURSDAY, May 17:-3.30 p.m.—Meeting of Medical Mission-ary Society at College Ampitheatre, Canton.

MONDAY, May 28 :-Noon-Auction of Leasehold Property, at Messra Hoghes & Hough's Sales Rooms.

WEDNESDAY, May 30 :5.15 p.m. -- Mesting of V.R.C. at Kow-

TRUESDAY, June 14 :---11 a.m.—Auction of Complete Cement Factory, at Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co.'s Premises. Kowloon.

NOTICE.

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The China Mail.

EUNGKONG, SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1906.

HOUSING THE PEOPLE. Whether the long armof coincidence In our issue of yesterday we made some reference to the resumption by the Government of an area on the hillside and the demolition of the inferior buildings thereon. No doubt cropper since he fails to show why the resumption is justified, and it is a different brands of accient crosses pity that the expense is too great to should be unearthed from the depths of prevent similar action being taken in different parts of England at almost other quarters. The city, of which in one and the same time. Quite recentmany ways we are justly proud, looks ly gropers in the earth's bowels have best at a distance." The resident who has taken the trouble to make a tour of places, and now in one issue of a inspection of our "mean streets" finds much that could with advantage be on relice of bygone days in Fifeshire seriously made, and if the very recent altered out of existence. However, and Staffordshire, respectively. One assassinations that have taken place in were considered by the experts to beowing to the topographical limitations cross in particular is said to be centerations quarters in the White Czar's of the place, there must ever be defects turies old and no doubt archæolo- Empire go for anything, things are asin the city which would not be found gists will by this time be worrying suming a grave aspect. With plenty in a locality where there was greater their brains to find out how they got of money at hand the Reactionaries will include some fine building sites. Here building space. Still it is well for the there—the crosses not the brains. will be able to wage a fairly hot cam-Government to do what it can in the In the early days it was quite the paign while funds last, but how interest as the position is at once a central and way of demolishing the unsightly and insanitary buildings which are at once reproach and a menace to the community. Consideration of the buildings of Hongkong naturally suggests the problem, which becomes more pressing daily, of housing the people -especially the European people. The Colony is steadily growing and it is notorious that housing is more and were others, like Edward I (1290) who more difficult to obtain. To the man hal a weakness for erecting memorial with a large income the extremely high crosses wherever fancy struck them. rents which obtain locally are perhaps It was Edward I who planted crosses of minor consequence, but to the in temory of Queen Eleanor wherever Pronounced by Connoisseurs to be the unfortunate individual who has difficult task under the best conditions to make ends meet, the rent problem is extremely serious. In fact one consequence of the impossible rents which are demanded for the smaller The following are also recom- type of houses is the flocking of people This means a deprivation of all that goes to make home life beautiful, a loss which cannot be compensated for qualit. Some stand to-day-at Chedhowever splendid the appointments of dar is Somersetshire, at Malmesbury an hotel. If it be in any way possible in Witshire, at Chichester, Bristol. the Government should endeavour to and Winchester. In the reign help the people who are resident here of C.—Aberlour-Glenlivet 18 50 to acquire homes of their own, We be a hul's cross near St. Paul's, have ever been opposed to what is known as state socialism, that is to eny the undertaking by the Govern ment of all the functions which are necessitated by life under modern conditions. But it would be pushing principle to an extreme to deny that, in special cases, the Government may

with the greater advantage step in

and make up for the deficiencies of pri-

vate enterprise. We think that the pro-

to relieve the position considerably. Why, should 'not the Government create a model suburb in proximity to Have Just Received Shipment Torsday, May 15:
Il a.m.—Auction of Miscellaneous cordance with the very latest sanitary cordance with the very latest sanitary Goods per Gackwar undelivered after this requirements and could be sold on the Chancellor had a nice little anub up his Goods per Room undelivered after this rent-purchase system to the many sleeve for Russia. The seizure deprived people who would jump at the oppor- the Chancellor of dealing with the intunity of acquiring homes of their own. Money could be borrowed for the purpose of buying the landand erecting the buildings, at a low rate of interest, and there is no reason why the Government should not simultaneously conserve the comfort of the community could be fixed at a figure which would enable the man of small resources to THE EDITORIAL OFFICES of pay the price on the instalment system without undue trouble while, at the same time, the Government would be receiving sufficient to pay interest on the borrowed money and establish a sinking fund for its ultimate redemption and perhaps receive something in addition which would serve to increase the general revenue. There seems to be no insuperable objection to such a scheme and we commend it to the consideration of those who alone could

put it into actual operation.

touches crosses or not cannot be worked out by Algebra. It has been tried with X equalling the cross, and the mathematician has comean algebraical torn crosses from their olden resting London paper we find that other mantic archeologists, an they will nd doubt ignore the fact that there in it funeral progress to Westminster. Theold cross at Waltham, now in other-now removed-at Cheapside and Charing Cross, which once stood as tetimonials to the affection and piety of this representative of Plangenets. In addition to this parallels 10°. 11°. North and meridians type there were, too, town and markt crosses of high architectural Thurston. Hnry VIII there used to London which was connected with many storical happenings, and in other pets of England and Scotland crosses pre erected before which civic and sedar duties were performed. Most of less have disappeared, some, bility potons of them are now coming to light. So far no great value as relies has at been placed upon them,

events those who are in the employ of rude hands of searchers, and ancient DV DA SILVA.—At No. 4, Seymour Ter- the Government, might fairly be faced crosses being made in Birmingham BY by the Government itself. In the course and buried in some odd spot or other of time the Kowloon Canton railway where they are likely to be found: will be running, and this should help Birmingham is just as ready to make crosses centuries old, as it is to make mouldy Chinese antiquities.

If latest advices concerning the

illness in April of Prince von Bulow

are to be given credence, the German

ternational situation "created by a reaction in Morocco, and the relations of Germany with various powers. The Prince, feeling that Germany had not received from Russia the support that should have been accorded her, intended, without exceeding the limits of diplematic courtesy, to make it clear that and embark upon a profitable financial the demonstrative way in which Russia enterprise. The price of the houses supported France against Germany was resented in Berlin. The only that Germany could P05sibly get back on Russia for ther unfriendliness, short of rubbing the rust off the sword, would be to stop in our previous article. That of purchasing financial supplies, and this, the Kolnie che Zeitung, a leading Berlin paper, says the Chancellor had in view. -Prince! yon Bulow fainted just in time to prevent Russia receiving the gentle hint from his lips that it would be inadvisable, in the immediate future at any rate, to attempt to float any nev loans in Germany. This refusal of financial support is, of course, merely a retort to Russia's extremely Francophile policy, and is a hint that she cannot run with the hare and hunt with the hounds at one and the same time. Now that the Kolnische has said what the in length will be available for building. Chancellor was unable to give utterance purposes to the effect on Russia should be about the same. If she has any tender susceptibilities at all she should know that one. The houses are so high and so closely any overtures to the Berlin money market are likely to fall on deaf ears and that it will be better for her to look elsewhere for any future loans that she as fire wood so that there is no danger might require. And perhaps Germany is wise in refusing aid if it turns out serviceable, the contractor is to receive that the money secured from foreign under the terms of his contract. This powers is to be used by the Bureaucracy to continue the hard fight against the demolition by Mesers Simpson and Chadpeople have quite casually happened people. That allegation has been thing to sprinkle crosses about the is to be paid when the war in o'er-or (properly built up on) a healthy one. The landscape with a lavishhand, and that | rather when the roubles have run outbeing so it is readily seen that an odd is a problem that is difficult of solution. bross or two might easily find their There is a possibility that the sagacious plenty of open space, sait is only separated way into some old hole and be covered | Chancellor recognised the use to which to by the debris of centuries. This, the money might be put and took add course, would be too simple and too | vantage of the Russian attitude regarprosaic and explanation for the ro- ding Morocco to put in a word that would effectively safeguard German

LOCAL AND COAST NEWS

The German Mail of the 11th Apri was delivered in London on the 10th May.

The report of the Registrar General the body of that departed lady rested for 19 15 is published in to-day's Government Gazette.

A report on the health and sanitary stateof decay, was one of these, and condition of Hongkong for 1905 appears in the current issue of the Government Gazette. It extends over 150 pages,

> A Cyclone. The Acting American Consul informs us that a cyclone is reported between

To-night will be the last time Hong kong residents will have the opportunity of witnessing the Great Thurston. The

entertainment is really worth seeing. The Belilios Estate. . We understand that the Hongkong estate of the late E. R. Belilios, O. M. G., has been sworn under \$2,424,700, which

means probate duty of about \$72,741.

AN AMERICAN REMEDY.

THERE is probably no medicine manufactured that can be found in more homes in the United States than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It has been in general use for over thirty MAR C. B. Wainright of Lemon City. perhaps, to holes, and in all proba- years and each successive epidemic of diarrhoes and dysentery during this time facturers that much better results are has tested its merit and proved its superiorioriob's ained from the use of Chamberlain's ty over all similar preparations. The re- Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in have won for it the confidence of many cholera morbue by taking it in water as physicians who often prescribe it in their hot as can be drank. That when taken in w might have the pain of practice. No case has ever yet been re- this way the effect is double in rapidity. ported where its use has ailed to give relief. It seems to get at the right spot instantly, witnessinghe surface of England from This remedy is for salei n this city by all he says. For sale by all chemists and north to ath being secred by the chemists and storekeepers

TELEGRAPH.

THE TRAVELLING COMMISSIONERS.

RETURNING TO CHINA

(Chines, Mail's Bervice.)

PERING, May 11.

Tuan Fang and Tai Hung Chi, two of Travelling Commissioners, have wired the Peking Government that they are returning on 23rd instant,

INSANITARY PROPERTIES.

Further Particulars

In connection with the resump ion of insunitary property near Aberdeen Street of which some information appeared in last evening's issue of the CRINA MAIL, we: have been favoured with more precise

particulars than were then available. The cost of the resumption is considerably greater than was roughly estimated the properties alone amounted, in round figures, to \$25),000, while the contractor; a well-known Chinaman named Li Ping, is to be paid \$29,000 for demolishing the houses and doing other necessary work. This includes the laying out of the block in accordance with the Government plan, forming the two new streets, forming water channels, and a good deal of granite work, owing to the fact that the streets will have

to be mainly composed of flights of steps. This work, which was recently taken in hand, is to be rapidly pushed forward, the date for completion of the contract beingthe end of November this year.

The total area of the property resumed is 29,000 quare feet, and the balance of this after constructing the two streets 28 and; 30 feet wide respectively and 375 feet

The work of demolition is being conducunder the appreciation of the Public Works. Department and is necessarily a difficult. packed together as to make the work much more complicated that is usual. None of the woodwork of the old houses is to be allowed to leave the site except of it spreading infection but such of the stones, bricks and other material as are block of houses it is interesting to note was one of the first that; was recommended for wick in their report drawn up in 1901 and adjoins the Kau-U-Fong resumption which was recently completed. These blocks. amongst the most insultary in the city. The Kai-U-Fong resumption now provides a fine open space which together with the neighbouring Mee Lun Lane resumption it is not unreasonable to expect that the better class Chinese houses will spring up, business quarter of the city is only a few minutes walk away, and at the upper end of the Mas Lun Lane resumption there isfrom Queen's College by the width of the

From these particulars it will be seen that the work of resuming insmitary properties, in the most congested part of the city, is being steadily carried out from year to year, in accordance with a definite scheme. Both from a financial point of view as well as that of public convenience wholesale resumptions cannot be undertaken at a moment's notice, but by picking out the worst blocks first and remodelling them so that other blocks can be brought into line afterwards a great deal is being accomplish-

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Hongkong Observatory :-On the 12th at 11.55 a.m. The barome? ter has risen quickly over E. Japan, and fallen rapidly over N. China.

A depression is moving Eastwards in Shantung, and pressure is again high over E. Japan. Light to mederate S.E. and S. winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel and the N. part of the China Sea. Forecast :- Light S. E. or variab'e winds;

The plator paused in his discourse and ooked over his congregation. "Sister Smith," heasid, "will you kindly come up close to the pulpit? I om save my voice by repeating the rest of this sermon to you in a conversational tone, and it will not disturb the slumbers of the others."

Flynn-"Oi tell yez they's no use thrayin' to iddica-ate thim Cholnese." Mulhooloy-"An' phwys thot?" Flynn-"Ol jist asked wan av thim the Choinese wur-rud for St. Patrick's day, an. bedad ! he couldn't tell mo,"

A GOOD SUGGESTION

IVI Fla., U.S.A., has written the manuliability and prompt cures of this remedy cases of pains in the stomach, colic and

during the last six months of the year

You will notice on looking at the accounts

that the Ice fectory, Amoy, is now included under the heading of Acrated Water and

other Machinery and Plant, the reason

being that we found it necessary, in order

\$24,997.83, whilst dead stocks are

our Acrated Water factory in Hongkong, We trust the disposition of the profits

meets with your approval; the amount

readily see the necessity of proper provision

being made for depreciation; and we have,

therefore, following our usual policy,

proposed to not aside \$25,000 out of the

profits for this purpose. Before moving the adoption of the report and accounts I

shall be pleased to answer any questions

There being no questions the Chairman

moved the adoption of the report and

'Captain Clark, in seconding, remarked

that he was sure shareholders present fell

great satisfaction at the report. He moved

a motion of thanks to the general managers

for careful supervision and to the staff for

The Chairman proposed and Mr D.

Mr Jupp proposed, the re-election

Mesara F. Maitland and W. H. Potta as

Capt. Clark seconded and the motion

The Chairman-That is all the business

CORRESPONDENCE.

CIVIL SERVANTS' SALARIES.

(To the Editor of the CHINA MAIL)

(and there are a few as low as this.

be so rated that by constant attention

several good men have been lost to us

through throwing up their positions

soon as clear of the first agreemen

and others I hear are about to follow suit

by his experience and acclimatisation

The Government should offer triennia

men are required to reside in Government

Department and Water Works where it is

absolutely necessary for various reason

that Europeans should be athand) to have

these quarters absolutely free of charge

with light and fuel, the best mon for the

several purposes' required to be elected for

the enjoyment (?) of this further trifling

six years) sending home for a holiday men.

the families did, not return within

twelve months the benefit of the return

very questionable, even if the subordinate

result save the dread "ominous silence" of

officialdom. If this is correct the men

May "the constant dropping wear away the stone" of adament red-tape (sic.), and

even to Government House.—Yours, etc.

LAME BACK.

THIS allment is usually caused

Hongkorg, May 11, 1906.

and the families of married mene, drawin

molument and not have to pay rent as

increases from £245 to a maximum

and we could fully benefit ourselves

gentlemen: dividend warrants will

thereon shareholders may have to ask.

statement of accounts.

the conscientious work done.

The motion was carried.

directorate. Carried.

TELEGRAPH.

THE RUSSIAN DUMA.

THE OPENING SITTING.

(Reclusive Service, Supplied by Router,

via Bombay). LINDON, May 10.

The first meeting of the Russian

Duma has taken place.

Deputy Petrumkevitch, in an ad dress, said that the Duma was bound its first free words to securing the freedom of the victims who were filling the prisons through out the country and whose edones Pagie demanded

to (naturday).

PERTER'S SERVICE THE PINAL PISTUTE

Cyplacya Avrive at Pirmus.

LONDON, May 10.

A strong patrol of Egyptian Coas Guards, with five gum, has proceeded east of the Sucz Canal. Admiral, Prince Louis of Battenberg,

has arrived at the Firees with two ruisers and other vessels of the second Croise Topicalron are exposited to meer w

LONDON, May 10. H.M.S. "Mineran has arrived at Por

Admiraf Lambton, who was not beared has proceeded to Cairo

> DISARMAMENT. Motion in the Boase.

LONDON, May 10. In the House of Commons, Mr Vivian (Labourite) moved, and the Government accepted a resolution, demanding that Tastic steps be taken for the reduction of armaments, and the inclusion of the re solution in the parampe of the Hague Inference. The motion was adopted un-

THE POSTAL CONGRESS.

Cheaper Postal Rates.

LONDON: May 10. The Postal Congress at Rome has agreed to increase the unit of weight for letters from 15 to 20 grammes, retaining the 21d minimum mité, but for every additional granunes 1kd.

GERMANY'S POSITION.

The Emperor's Visit to Austria

LONDON, Mays 10. The Kaiser's visit to King Francis greatly discussed, and is regarded as ev dence of the Kaiser's determination to secur

entents between France, Russia and Great Britain.

CANTON NOTES.

(From Our Correspondent.)

THE VICEROY'S TOUR.

CANTON, May 10.

The departure and return of His Ex cellency the Viceroy in connection with h tour up the rivers have already been recorded; perhaps it would be interesting to give a short account of the two days which his Excellency spent while absent from Canton. Before leaving on May 6 the

Vicercy 'first called at the Sin Hau Kok' where he secured some thousands of bags, - which were no doubt intended to be filled with sand and used for strengthening any embankments which showed signs of collapsing. His Excellency also took with him an enormous quantity of "breaks" with which to relieve the hunger of the sufferers by the recent floods.

When the preparations for the tour were concluded the Viceroy left on board the Chinese cruiser "Kwong Fook." His retinue went by the "Fi Hung" and other stoamers. A start was made at one o'clock and by six p.m. the same day they arrived at Fatshan, anchors being dropped at Shakow, where they passed the night. Early the next morning the Viceroy left,

passing Tszetungkow, and at 12,30 p.m. arrived at Samshui. After leaving the latter place they called at Ching Yin, where the embankments were found to be intact. All the rest of the places were wide expanses of water.

The prefect of Shul Hing was called upon by the Viceroy, who afterwards inspected the colleges there. His Excellency returned to Canton on May 8, leaving a number of men behind to carry out the relief works.

THE BUNNING BAILWAY, In my last letter I referred to the commencement of the Sunning railway. It is now reported that the work is being pushedhave now been constructed. When the whole line is finished Sunchoong will be joined by rail to Kung Yik mart.

A SENSATIONAL MOVE. On May 8 the Namhoi Magistrate Chan. sent a number of soldiers to Salkwan and this stringent not is a mystery. It is permission, take them as read. The year's the parts vigorously at each application. reported in some quarters that it is a working has been satisfactory on the whole. If this does not afford relief, bind on a piece political move; in others it is said to be in The continued high rate of exchange has of flannel elightly dampened with Pain

COMPANY MEETINGS.

The Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd.

The seventeenth ordinary meeting of the seventeenth ordinary meeting of the ensure greater economy and efficiency in working, to remove the ice plant to a building under the same roof as the Amoy Soda Water factory. The steam launch "Dakin" there were also present: Hop. Sir Paul book value. As compared with last year Motion for Release of Prisoners. Charter, Hon. Mr C. W. Dickson, Measure local and general liabilities show a diminution of \$25,160.35, and bills payable an increase of \$20,566.76, or a net Hughes, A. O. Baptists, De Noble and On the other hand our assets in the Dr MacFarlane.

The secretary read the notice convening \$20,054.67 higher. The increase in the

Captain Clark, the mosting. The Chairman - Gentlemen, the report | cipally by improvements to buildings in and accounts having been in your hands the Company's occupation in Hongkong and elsewhere; installation of new and larger for some days, I propose, with your permis plant in the Acrated Water factory connectsion, to take them as read. As you are ed with Mactavish and Lehmann's business aware, these accounts cover only 10 in Shanghal; by the purchase of new plant months; the close of our financial year ments in final settlement of contracts for having been made on the 28th. February, new fittings in the Hongkong Dispensary as was agreed to at our last meeting; the and by cost of installation of electric light accounts for the present year will be for the plant and fittings, and other additions to full twelve months. In submitting these accounts the directors lave pleasure in recording the continued expansion of under the heading of dead stocks, i.e., our business; our supply services being machinery, furniture and fittings, having The Duma was adjusted now equal to 39,500 lamps of 8 candle- now assumed large proportions, you will against 34,5 10 lamps, 85 arc-lamps, and 15 lifts at the date of our last report. The new chimney has been completed, a shed at the works constructed, and the newmain cables have been laid, and will shortly be doing their work. A considerable portion of the cost of the additions to plant and buildings is included in the present accounts, and it has been met by the call made on the 1st. December list. Amongst other items in the accounts to which I my refer is the item of coal, its increased coat forming a considerable item in our expenditure, and this is causing us to seek for more economical means of working, as I will Clark seconded the confirmation of the apexplain later on. Sundry debtors showing pointment of Mr J. Scott Harston to the an amount of a little over \$30,000 bas since been reduced by \$61,000 collected up to date. The balance of profit shown to be auditors.

available for distribution after deduction of \$250) for directors' fees (the proportion for 10 months) is \$100,744 69, and the directors propose the following : to pay \$1 ready on Monday. per share on the part paid shares, made up as follows-50 cents per share for the 10 months, and 15 cents for the 3 months from 1st December - last, when the call was made payable. These shares will now rank in all respects the same as the original fully paid shares. -We-propose further to write 842,392.48 off Plant Account and \$6,329.97 off Property, the cause of our underpaid and hard. Hon. Mr E. A. Hewett, Messrs Honry Account (our first writing off on this worked Government staff. As a looker on Humphreys, A. S. Hooper, Fung Wa Chun account) for depreciation on both accounts, I must admit that the work done by and Lau Chu Pak. Mr C. F. W. Bowenand to carry forward \$2 568.44 to next Government Engineers and their subordi- Rowlands has been appointed secretary. account. In declaring this dividend, which mates is well carried out, and is done in a is at the fate of 12% per annum, the Direc. very workmanlike manner, and the public powers of the Supreme Court of Hongkong tors, while they are very pleased that the _-who are really the paymasters-of Hong- or of any judge thereof in respect to good earnings for the 10 months have ren. Kong are well served and have reason to be enforcing the attendance of witnesses dered this possible, have to point out that proud of their staff of trained men, who and examining them on oath, affirmation or it must be considered an exceptional serve their interests both in the Public otherwise, as the Commissioners or any thing, being done to equalize our dividend Works and Sanitary Departments, but do them may think fit; the compelling of the with that of the past two years, and that the public -- who expect to get good work -- production of documents ; the punishing of a larger dividend than 10 per cent. - 21 pay good wagen? I fear not; for the persons guilty of contempt; and the order-

this year's working, unless indeed our man a sum as low as \$160 per annum examination of witnesses is to be private, a larger one. The amounts written off Sir, as reference to the Blue Book for depreciation are in pursuance of the and Gazette will show) is a disgrace to the and true disclosure touching all the matters test, Pryor, policy which has been steadily pursued, and as it has proved so advantageous, I trust it will have your concurrence. The evidence of this is displayed in what I have now to say. For some time pa t the directors have had to consider the questions of the sufficiency of our plant, and of the space available at the works to meet the growing increase in the cost of coal. They, have therefore been making enquiries about new kinds of machinery which are, ac cording to information we have, giving satisfactory results, as regards their efficiency, economy in working, and in the his duties he would have an inducement to space occupied. Their adoption bids fair to render our present site large enough for our requirements for so far shead as can be seen, and after allowing for the necessary outlay we estimate that there will be such a reduction in the cost of the increased production we shall be able to effect, that

we shall be in a position to make a sensible reduction in the cost of the light and power supplied to our customers. The extension of our business, which, as you' will have no doubt been pleased observe, has been so continuous, requires us to take all the advantage we can of the rapid improvements in the kinds of machinery we have to do with, and we are a favourable position for this, through the policy you have wisely allowed us to follow of writing off the amounts for depreciation which have appeared in our annual accoun's. I am not now able to lay any definite scheme before you, but the directors hope during the year to call a special meeting of shareholders when they will prepose an increase of capital, and explain

the purposes for which it is required. pay; in the case of married men There being no questions the Chairman moved the adoption of the report and

Capt. Clark proposed the re-election of the Hon. Sir Paul Chater and the Hon. C. W. Dickson as directors.

Messrs C. W. May and W. Hutton Potts were re-olected auditors on the motion of Mr Curry, seconded by Mr Hughes. The Chairman - That is all the business. Thank you for your attendance, gentlemen.

A. S. Watson and Co., Ltd.

Dividend warrants can be had on Monday.

The twenty-first ordinary meeting of Mesers A. S. Watson and Co., was held in

Alexandra Buildings at 11.30 a.m. Mr Henry Humphreys was in the chair the cry of the underpaid subordinate rise forward very rapidly and that several li and there were also present the Hon. Sir Paul Chater, Messrs J. Scott Harston. H. P. White, J. A. Jupp, J. A. Tarrant,

Douglas Clark and Captain Clark. The Secretary read the notice convening

The Chairman Gentlemen, the report I rhoungtiam of the muscles and may purp. soized some hundred account books from and statement of account having been in be red by applying Chamberlain's Pain the houses of the gentry. The reason for your hands some days, I will, with your Balm two or three times a day and rabbing connection with certain embezzlements. no doubt benefited us to some extent, but Balm, and quick relief is almost sure to The greatest sensation has been caused on the other hand business both here and follow. For sale by all chemists and storeat the branches was depressed and dull keepers

BANITARY BOARD MEETING. Plague Infected Houses Closed.

A special meeting of the Santary Roard, called to consider a recommendation for the closing of houses Nos M, 95 and 98 J. Cruickshank, H. S. Holmes and J. Iscariot's career we have four other characcompany, St. George's Buildings, at noon, no longer appears in accounts, having been the closing of houses Nos M, 95 and 98 J. Cruickshank Mr A. G. Wood was in the chair and sold during the year at a profit on her Reclamation Street, Mongkok, was held Witchell (Capt.). at noon to-day. The Hon. Dr F. Clark prosided and there were also present Hon. Mr Chatham, Mesars Fung Wa Chun, Lau hurst, Percy Smith, H. J. Gedge, Owen reduction in our liabilities of \$5,593.59. Chu Pak, G. A. Woodcock (secretary) and F. M. Roza Percira, F. K. Tata and N. H. form of live stocks show a reduction of

The President said that the business was purely formal. Dr MacFarlane had latter item has been brought about prin- recommended that the three houses mentioned should be closed as there had been a case of plague in each of them and they were rat infected. He gave a certificate to this effect under the Ordinance which gave the Board power to close any houses certified to be unfit for habitation until such time as they were rendered fit for occupation in the opinion of the Board. He might mention that the Board had a block of houses in the vicinity where the

Mr Lau Chut Pak-Are these new

about four or five years old, but they are not under the New Ordinance. Mr Lau Chu Pak seconded the motion

which was carried unanimously.

SANITARY AND BUILD. ING REGULATIONS.

A Commission Appointed.,

The burrent issue of the Government Guzette contains an announcement which will be received with interest all classes of the community. It is the appointment of a Commission to quire whether the administration of the Sanitary Board and Building Regulations. enacted by the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, as now carried out, satisfactory and, if not, what improvements can be made; and whether any irregularity or corruption exists or has existed among the officials charged with the administration of the aforesaid Regulations The personnel of the Commission is as Sir, -I see you have again championed follows: -Hon. Mr H. E. Pollock, K.C.

The Commission is invested with all the er share—should not be looked for on Colony to my any trained or skilled ing an inspection of any property. and all witnesses so examined, who in the community and an insult to good workmen, in respect to which he is examined, shall and I for one, though a heavy rate freyer, receive a certificate under the hand of the considering the profit made by "this little | Chairman:

jewel in the Crown," would suggest that From the foregoing it will be gathered the Government take the matter in hand that the Commission has all the power at once and rectify the present state of which is is possible to bestow upon such the friendship of Austria, in view of the requirements of our business, and of the affairs. No man brought out from Home bodies, and are practically given a free (I am now referring more particularly to hand. As we winted out resterday th the subordinante staff) should commence fact that the Commission is composed entire here on a less salary than £245, and should by of persons not in the Governmentemploy, but all totally independent of it, wi made its finding all the more valuable. remain with us after his probation-for

Few will cavil at the appointment of the Hon, Mr H. E. Pollock, as Chairman the Commission. From his close connection with the law and his intimate knowledge of the Ordinances of the Colony he will a tower of strength in guiding the other members of the Commission through the £350 for subordinate officers, and when intricate meshes of legal points which are sure to crop up during the inquiry. marters (such as several are in the Sanitary Hewett's personal investigations as to the state of Public Buildings and his recen romarks at the Sanitary Board meetings show that he is deeply interested in the subject. Mesers Henry Humphroys A. S. Hooper are specially qualified: sit upon the Commission by reason demanded at present. Then the Colony their close connection in business w should stand the expense of (say, once in all building subjects, and the Cor mission will receive valuable assistance

under £350, for six months' leave on half from these two gentlemen. The inclusion of Messrs Fung Wa Chur and Lau Chu Pak is a matter of special importance, as the Public Health and passage would be forfeited for such familes.
This would pay the Government well and Buildings Ordinance weight more heavily in the majority of cases six months' leave upon the Chinese section-which is the of absence inquite sufficient if not a surfeit. greatest-of our community, than upon With regard to your leader of May 3 it is any other. That Mr Lau Chu Pak is fully Mr Percy Smith seconded and the motion staff did send in a petition, that it would versed in the subject which will come before not be "pigeonholed," for I understand the Commission is evidenced by the very that as long ago as January last petitions able letter which he read at the Sanitary

in to the chief of these departments with the request that they should be put before CHINA MAIL on May I. the Governor for his consideration, and Taking the Commission as a whole we letters have been written since respecting have an admirable sexette of men, all of these petitions, but there has been no whom, in minor or major degree, are familiar with the subject, which it will be their duty to searchingly examine. appear to have no resource save the per-their duty to searchingly examine. sistent (and effective, let us hope) result of their labours cannot but championship of their cause by the Press. beneficial to the Colony at large.

> sermon by explaining that his dog had manuscript; whereupon a little boy in the said to average 300. congregation was heard to exclaim, " Say, I wish somebody'd give our minister a

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AMOY NOTES.

(From Our Correspondent). PLAGUE OUTBREAK.

The plague has broken out somewhat severely in the Chinese portion of Amoy and it is estimated that at least ten deaths occur daily. The Amoy Chinese Hospital people could be accommodated if they did has propared three matsheds for the not wish to go elsewhere so that there reception of plague cases and notices have could not be a suggestion of their been sent throughout the city intimating being turned adrift and homeless. He that all persons suffering will be treated by moved that the recommendation be adopt. the Hospital. It is doubtful, however, if a single case will be brought in. " KING ALFRED"

H. M. S. "King Alfred" is now in port Dr Mac Farlane-Practically new houses. | and Kulangsu is quite gay in consequence thereof. Mr Bowra, the Commissioner of Customs, has been entertaining the officers. An "At Home" was arranged on Friday and invitations were sent out to almost al the community to meet the guests from the man-of-war. The entertainment was success and the cricket match which followed on the next day was also successful. There were a large number of naval mon present and the band of the "King Alfred" played a number of excellent

> PLOODS DAMAGE CROPS. . There have been great floods in the interior in consequence of the recent heav rains. A great deal of the rice crop is sai to have been spoiled, through being inundated with the torrents, but it ita difficult to give credence to all the reports which

> > SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The London papers have recently been full of warmly-written appreciations of Sir Francis Burnand, on his retirement from of Punch editorship, a post he held since the death of Tom Taylor, 26 years ago When, over 40 years ago, Sir Francis first joined the Punck staff and attended for the first time the Wednesday dinner. was Thackeray who proposed the health "The New Boy."

The following is the programme of music to performed by the Band of the 199th cessional March 'Daniel.' Moore - Overture Messager; Three Dances from opinion of the Commissioners makes a full Gwynn; Cake Walk 'A Coon Band Con-

At the Union Church Sunday School

Hall last evening a very enjoyable variety entertainment was given by the pupils under the direction of Miss Henderson Mrs Stubbings and Mosrs. C. C. Hickling and when the first item-a piano duet by Misses Pearce and E. Rodger-was given, them. being considerably over two hundred in the hall. The entertainment was a complete success and the ladies responsible for training the children deserve the great est credit. The singing was really good while the comportment of the children showed the care and trouble that had been lavished upon them. The first part conaisted of songs and recitations, chief among which was alles Woodcock's elecutionary effort, " David's Lament for Absalom." This young lady possesses considerable t lent but the selection of so heavy a pie was rather inadvisable. . The terrupted Recitation" by Miss . B. and Master Barrington was an enjoyable item, as was Master Grimshaw's comic song "We all went into the shop." This little youngeter's make up and by-play were orcellent. One of the best pieces of the con-Botter Land," which was rendered with publish. The book is descriptive of akill. Though still only a girl Miss Hockins' eminently suited to organ accompaniment. Burns, Misses Agnes and May Thomas. Misses Gwendolen and Esme Woodcook, assisted in the concert. The song and the book is to advertise the comforts chorus "The Dwarfs" was well aung, while travelling by the Great Northern Steamship the setting was unique. The concert con- Co.'s steamers, as this Company has 20 from some of the Departments were sent Board and which was published in the cluded with a musical story "The Fairy pages devoted to illustrations and descrip-

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Judas. A Tragedy by Sidney Moutrie. The hope of the author is to "elevate The following crows have been selected the soul to a kind of intellectual delight. to row in a scratch four-cared race on Perhaps most readers would describe their condition or sensation in milder terms. In Station No 1: LEEK: M. A. R. Souza, dealing with the climax or anticlimax of ters introduced. The dialogue is brisk with HIGH-CLASS HOTEL considerable imagery. Now and again possibly language masters writer. "Soul. UNDER STRICTLY AMERICAN freezing sound," "dream-daysled sir," and UNDER STRICTLY AMERICAN "alnuous flexen coil," make one gasp a little. What results " when lilies motionless may drasm of white." For at first attempt the author is scarcely well-advised in taking one of the few subjects which need most delicate handling. It is tragedy and therefore extreme situations may be expected and we get them. Judith's doting love and extreme hate, Bathsheba's flamboyant. disclosure. with the attempted sing-froid but remorsaful terror of Judas - all in a few pages come out in strong celers. The author adopts the theory of the betrayal which is these favourable to Judas; but of course this is only surmise. On the whole this is not so bad for a first effort, and we shall anticipate a second with pleasaure,

whether it is encouraged by Mr Tree or not.

SIX WOMEN. By Victoria Cross. T

Werner Laurie, Fleet St., London, Since the advent of Victoria Cross in the DADINCA field of fiction there has been a keen demand for novels bearing this author's name. For the most part they are racy, and daring; dealing with amatory company subjects that the prude regards with COMPANY probably affected horror, and generally calling a spade a spade. As it happens most people like to hear a spade alluded to as a spade if they can have the expression hidden from the hearing of a third person, and the weakness in that direction accounts for the manifest desire of many readers to obtain the latest from the pen of Victoria Cross: "Six Women" is a series of sketches-Indian and Egyptian-and the writer demonstrates the possession of knowledge of the method of life in the Indian outposts that is hardly likely to be obtained first hand by any woman, Furthermore the working of a man's mind seems a little more understood than is generally the case with the opposite sex, and these facts tend to influence one to believe that Victoria Cross is just about as much a woman-as in alleged-as was " Miss Fiona MacLeod." But that apart. The six women portrayed are interesting of their species, and are written of in the appreciable style that has characterised the previous work of the author. The stories are well told, and illustrate to a certain extent one aspect of life in the Near and Middle East.

THE NEWSPAPER PRESS DIRECTORY. Messrs. C. Mitchell & Co., the well-

known advertising agents of 1 and 2 Snow Hill, E.C., have just published the sixtyfirst annual issue of "The Newspaper Press Directory," the complete guide to the British, Colonial and foreign press. This excellent work of reference quite maintains its reputation for completeness and accuracy of information. It presents a mass of detailed knowledge relating to the newspaper world which it would be impossible to: CAFE WEISMANN. of time and money which would make the effort prohibitive. The information is so Baluchis on the Parade Ground on Monday carefully co-ordinated that it is readily next May 14, from 5 to 8.30 p.m. :- Pro- accessible, and the result is a work of reference of exceptional value to exporters The Tutti in Maschers, Pelrotti; Polades all interested in newspapers. It will be Piccaroon, Green ; Selection 'Veronique, found to be especially useful to all having Nell or desiring to establish business relations We note a valuable contribution upon BREAKFAST, We note a valuable contribution upon "Australia's Oversea Trade," by Mr T. A. Coghlan, the Agent-General for New South Wales and marticle entitled "The Imperial Problem of the Twentieth Century." this communication Colonial views on preferential trade are examined with much care and without political bias. "The Newspaper Press Directory" of 1906 is a C. N. Williams. The hall was crowded worthy successor to its sixty previous issues. The volume covers a wide field interest and fully justifies its well-established reputation as a first-class work of to

BOOKS RECEIVED.

HE Cost. By David Graham Phillips. T. Werner Laurie, London, PRACTICAL RIFLE SHOOTING. By Walter Winans. G. P. Putnam's Sons, Lon

CHINA COAST TALES. By Lise Boehm. Kelly and Walsh, Ltd., Shanghai and

A NEW GUIDE BOOK OF THE EAST.

Mr C. B. Perkins, of this City, representing the Great Northern Steamship Company in the publication of a yery elaborate Guide Book, has called at this Office and shown us a prospectus cert was Mist- Hoskins' solo "The the book, which he expects in shortly dealers in Hongkong. trip from Beattle to the Rass and return by the Minnesota and Dakot a and convoice appears almost fully developed and is tains seventy-five thousand words descriptive of the sights and places of interest Misses Nan and Joan Rodger, Miss Helen | visited while travelling by those steamers. This book will be bound in full Morocco end gold, with over two hundred half tone engravings of the East, making it one of Miss F. Standage, Master W. Bullook and the most elaborate and attractive souvenor -Master T. Edwards were smong those who of its kind ever published, the object of

travel and places of interest vieted while The book is filled with valuable information of the different places throughout the East, and will be a very authentle guide to travellers visiting this part of the world. Mr Perkins informs us there will be an

The latest fad among members of New issue of ten thousand copies per annum York's "Four Hundred" is what is descri- distributed throughout the entire world, bed as the "hymn tea." It appears that on passenger steamers, in Hotel Lobbys, a number of young ladies of quite the Pullman Cars, Guide Agencies and all smartest families meet twice a week at a places where the traveller is most likely to observe and read the book. There is to be Ar the last anniversary of the Cheshire and afterwards hold a species of prayer fifty pages of select advertisements of the school Bishop Brewster told of a minister | meeting. Male friends are not admitted, leading firms of the East, with Hotels, who apologized for the electross of his but are allowed to wait below. The "bymn Banks, Steamboat Commections, Railway tea" is followed by a drive or promensee Connections and such advertisements that chewed up the first and last pages of his along Fifth-avenue. The attendance is will be instructive to the triveller and

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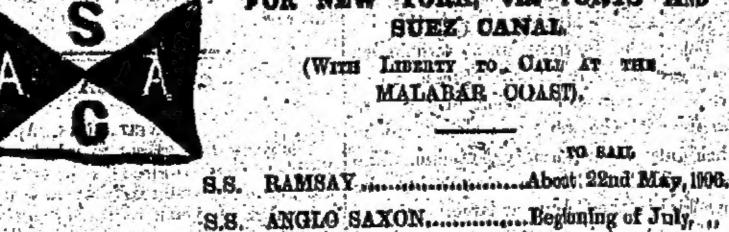
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AGENTS.

n. Polynosien (s) Messageries Maritimes May 15, at 1 p.m. Zafiro (s) Shewan, Tomes & Co. May 19, at Noon.

Rubi (a) Shewan, Tomes & Co. May 26, at Noon,

Loongsang (s) Jardine, Matheson& Co May 18, at 4 p.m.

Shewan, Tomes & Co. About May 20.

..... Gibb Livingston & Co... June 2, at Noon.
Melchers & Co....... May 29, at Noon.

. Butterfield & Swire May 22.

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Manils Taming (e) Butterfield & Swire .. May 15.

New Yorkv. Suez Canal Satsuma (8) Dodwall & Co. Limited May 22.

New Yorky. Suez Canal Sikh (6) Dodwell & Co. Limited About June 5.

San Francisco v. Japan Nippon Maru (s) 0. & O. S.S. Co. June 19, at Noor. Seattle, v. S'hai, Japan Minuesota (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha. June 12, at Noon.

S'pore, P'ang, Calcutta, Laisang (s)...... Jardine, Matheson&Co May 16, at 4 p.m.

S'pore and Calcutta.... Eakdale (e) A. M. Essabhoy May 15, p.m.

S'hal, Kobe & Y'hama Salazie (s) Messageries Maritimes About May 14.

S'hai, N'ki, Kobe, Y'ms Preussen (s) Melchers & Co..... About May 23.

Swatow and Shanghai Choysang (a).......... Jardine, Matheson & Co May 13, Daylight.

S'hai and Portland, Or Arabia (s) Portland & A. S. Co.. May 22, Daylight,

S'haland Portland, Or. Aragonia (8) Portland & A. S. Co., June 11, Daylight.

S'tow, Amoy & Tamsui Daigi Maru (a) Osaka Shosen Kalaha., May 13, at 10 a.m.

S'tow, Amoy & F'chew Akaishi Maru (a) Osaka Shosen Kaisha. May 17, at 11 a.m.

S'tow, Amoy & Tameni Daijin Maru (s) Osaka Shosen Kalsha., May 20, at 10 a.m.

S'tow, Amoy, Foochow Haitan (a) Douglas Lapraik & Co. May 15, at 10 a.m.

Tientsin Chipshing (a)...... Jardine, Matheson & Co May 29, at 4 p.m.

S'tow, Amey & Anpling. Maidzoru Maru (8) ... Osaka Shosen Kalsha., May 16, 10 a.m.

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To-day's Advertisements QUNDAY, MAY 13TH, 1918.

CPURCH SERVICES

St Johns Cathedral

4TH SUNDAY AFTER Holy Communion (7.30 a m). Matins (11 a m.) Trapponses, Festival; Venite, Turle; Pasima, Crotch, Cooke; Te Deum, Lawes, Cooks, Hejkins : Benedictus,

(Tune 73). & Evensong (5.45 p.m.) Pasime, Barnby, ponges. Festival: Turle : Magnificat Nune Dimittis, Who been instructed to sall by Publi Wesley in F; Anthem, "God Who madest Earth and Heaven "- Lahr : Hymns, 136. 207; Seventold Amn. Voluntary, Overture "Hymn "

Garrott : Hymn oon, 995 and 109

Fraise Mendelssohn. Union Church, Kennedy Post, Minister : Rev. C. H. Hickling. 11 s.m :- Worship : Bymns 544. Pr'm 37, Anthem 225, Hymns 17º, 291 4 46 p.m.: -Conversational Rible ("I-a i-

the School Hall. 5 30 p.m., - Singing in Church. 5 p.m.: - Worship : Hyrans 81, 615, 9010, Hymns, 270, 358 Subject cess in Pusiness.

T. May #7.80 p.m. :-- Christian Enderbur Society, Subject! "Our Empire for

St Peter's Church, Queen's Read

4TH-SUNDAY AFTER EASTER Holy Communion (7.30 a.m.) Morning Prayer 11 a.m. Venite, Alcock; Te Deum, Oakdy; Jubilate, Ouseley; Hymns, 45, 396.

540, 537.

Evening Prayer 6.30 p m. Magnificat, Crotch; Nune Dimittia, Toker; Hymne, 307, 328, 403, 24. The Church sunch "Dayspring" will call on ships carrying white cows to bring friends ashore to the serrices between 9.15 and 10, '0 a.m. and between 5.15 and 6 p.m. (Kowloon Police Pier 10.30 and 6), returning afterwards; The "answering pennant" is the Call flag. All the sittings are free and unappropriated

Wesleyan Methodist Church, Morning :- 10.15 a.m.

Visitore welcome. Books &c., provided.

Sunday School 10 -10.45 s.m.

Evening: - 6 p.m.

welcome.

.. Soldiers' and Sailors's Home, Arsenal Street. Sunday evening 8 p.m. Books provided—seats free—a hearty

Sundays, Naval Depot. Kowloon. Evensong:-6 p.m. Holy Communion .- 3rd Fundays :- 1 p.m

Peak Church.

Holy Communion :- 8 a.m. Deutsche Kirche. Gottendienst :- um 11 Uhr. in Bithesd Kapelle, Caine Road.

Christian Science Servio. City Hall (Music Room) :- 11.15 a.m.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close :--

For BANGKOK .-Per Sandakan, at 9 a.m., on Sundy, the On Bombay-18th May. For NAGASAKI & VLADIVOSTOUK.

· Per Daphne, at 11 a.m., on Monday, the On Calcutta-14th May. For MACAU. --Per Heungshan, at 1.15 p.m., or Monday, the 14th May.

For SHANGHALYOKOHAMA&ROBE Per Andalusia, at 3 p.m., on Monday, On Shanghaithe 14th May. For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOODOW.

Per Haitan, at. 10 a.m., on Tuesday, the Un Yokohama-15th May. For CEBU & ILOILO,-Per Sungkiang, at S p.m., on Tresday,

the 15th May. For MANILA .-Per Taming, at 8 p.m., on Tuesday, the 16th May

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & CO: Per Awa Maru, at 5 p.m., on Tassday, of observations taken by means of an authe 15th May.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE& YOKOHAMA. Per Nikko Maru, at 11 a.m., on Wednes- | the years 1887-8-9. day, the 16th May. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-OUTTA .--

Per Laisang, at 2 p.m., on Wednesday, ... the 16th May.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACEM-The French Contract Packet Polynesien the height given in the table.

will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 15th May, with Mails for the United given below to correct to Zone time, Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and places beyond, via Markilles; to Salgon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Coylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Ghaltar. Printed Matter and Samples at 19 a.m. Registration at 10 a.m. Registration, with late foo of 10 cents

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cluded in this contract mail.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour. EXCIURIVE OF LATE ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES REPORTED TO-DAY.

To iscilltate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into sleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloon shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping of midway between each shore are marked on in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Whatt. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Officer 4. From Harbour Master's to the Market. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Maval Yard.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building. 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
9. From Kellet's Islan to North Point. 10. Kowloon Wharves, 11. Jardine a Whart.

DESTINATION. | FLAG AND | TONA |DATE OF Consigners of Agents. CAPTAIN. VESSELS' NAMES. NETT. ARRIVAL Manila, Aus'lian Porta Yawata Maru (8) Nippon Yusen Kaisha. May 18, at 4 p.m. Mar., L'don, A'erp, &c. Awa Maru (8) Nippon Yusen Kaisha. May 16, Diylight. Mar., L'don, Aerp, &c. Sanuki Maru (8) Nippon Yusen Kaisha. May 30, Daylight. Steamers. K'loon Dock 2 Messra Wilks and Jack. S'hai & Yokohama May 14. Offret French str. May May May. Marselles via Salgon. Polynosien (8) Hamburg-Amerika Linia Admiral de Beaumont British str. 2671 May Amer. str. 960 May Andalusia . Anglo-Saron o Garcia... French str. 1500 May Atlantic ... o Bail 12 Geo, McBian Bourbon 775 May N'ki, Kobe, Y'ama. ... Nikko Maru (s)...... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. May 16, at Noon. New Yorky. Suez Canal Ramsay (s) Shewan. Tomes & Co. About May 22. British etr. Swatow & Shanghai May 12. 9 Jamine, Matheson & Co. c Martin Castor S'pore & Sourabaya May 19. 9 lardine. Matheson & Co. Swatow & Tamsui May 13. British str. 1416 May 9 Osaka Shosen Kaisha Japan, str. 1658 May May 14. May 13. Vladivostock 10 Hamburg-Amerika Linie Daigi Man. str. 1435 May Amoy c Jenkins British str. 1563 May Daphue 3 c Cornand Ger. str. 1128 May 8 A. M. Essabhoy Emma Luyken c Duff British str. 1926 c Gundersen . Norw. str. 1380 May 8 c Gow British str. 2766 May 10 Dodwell & Co., Ld. K'loon Dock S'pore, C'bo, & B'bay. Hakata Maru (s)..... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. May 22, at Noon. Hans Wagner..... 3 c Kagemann Ger. str. 965 May 3 Louis, Wegener & Co. Godinau French str. 705 May 9 Butterfield & Swire 3 c Brown British str 1306 May May 13. Haiphong 11 Jebson & Co. 3 c Jurgensen Ger. str. 646 May 11 C. M. S. N. Co. .. 3 c Lincoln Chi. str. 1467 May 3 c Lake British str. \$460 May Knivsberg S'pore & Calcutta May 16. 9 Jardine, Matheson & Co. 9 Siemssen & Co. S c Cehmann Jor. str. 1239 May Swatow & Bangkok May 13, 9 Butterfield & Swire Swatow & Anping | May 16. 12 .)saka Shosen Kaisha 3 c Merlin Japan. str. 1089 May Macher Maidzuru Maru ... Norw. str. 1198 May 3 c Ericksen..... al Jardine, Matheson & Co. k w Houghton Brit. str. 1643 May Manda 6 Dodwell & Co., Ld. British str. 1640 April Norw. str. 1671 April 29 Asgaard, Thoresen & Co. 8 c Turner 3 o Schewig K'loon Duck 2 Measra Wilks and Jack. ************* Progress French str. Chartis .-... 11 Imhold, Karberg & Co. British str. 690 May Renomme 3 o Nasbet ... Sabine Rickmers British str. 2514 April 20 Government c Nicoll Baint Bride 5 Melchers & Co. 3 c Wendig British atr 1793 British ate 1091 May British str. 1228 May 12 Butterfield & Swire S'bai & San F'cisco May 18. S c Boyd Zeeder..... Amer. str. 5645 May Shansi K Joon Dock Pennefather ... British str. 1021 April 24 Butterfield & SwireJer. str. 1065 April 12 East Asiatic Trading Co. Tai-fu 3 c Ueberfeldt May 15. May 11 Butterfield & Swire 3 c Outerbridge ... British str. 1350 Vancouver (B.O.) May 23. British str 2768 May 4 J. P. R. Co. 3 c Davison Norw, str. 10'8 April 29 Chinese Norw. str. 1248 May 6 Asgeard, Thoresen & Co. 3 c Nielsen S'pore and Bombsy May 13 Japan. etc. 3884 Way 12 Nippon Yusen Kaisha 8 c Neilsen 3 c Wale British str. 2383 May 6 Bradley & Co. The Properties comprise the commolious Wakasa Maru 3 o Rwan Zurossier adjoining the King's Park in the best part of Kowloon and vacant land suitable for Sailing Venuera. Amer. sh. 1000 April 14 Master immediate development. Total srea 161,499

> STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL. SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER . Indian Monarch, March 13; Anna,

Engineer, Crodakoff. Sleipner, 20; An. tenor, China, Indrasamha, 27; Konangsi, Tourane, 30; Nippon, Princess Alice, April 6; Benlarig, Benlomond, Oceanien, Voronej, Schuylkill, Nilhe fale, Aberlour, Tinhour, 17: Rhipeus, Salacie, Kiev, Acilia, Heliopolio, Rasbera, 20; Gl-nesk, Kish, 24 ; Aleinous, Fomosa, Idome-Tonkin, 28 : Ambria, Palma, Peleus, Pera, Preussen, Saxoni, Telemachus, Benavon, May 1; Ajax, Betworlich, Oceanien, Verona, Silesia (Ger.) Prinz Regent Luitpold, Iyo Maru, Rhenania, 4 : Radnorshire, Indrani, Denof Mains, Ewanley, 8; Armand Behic, China, Japan, Java, 11.

ARRIVALS AT HOME. May 11, Peleus.

Mails The M. M. Co,'s steamer Salazie, with the FRENCH MAIL of the 13th April, bit Saigon on Friday, the 11th May, at 1 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Monday morning, the ith May. This packet brings freplies to letters despatched from Horgkong. on the 10th March.

AMERICAN MAIL, left Yokohama on the 5th May, and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 16th Rajaburi, for Amoy. here on or about Wednesday, the 16th

The C. P. R. Co.'s s s. Empress of China. Kwan ke, for Shanghai.

usual Ports of Call. The P. M. S. S. Mongolia sailed from San | Bornes, for Kudat. Francisco on May 2nd, and is due at Benrenue, for Bangkok. this port on May 27th.

Steamers Expected. The N. Y. K. s.s. Awa Maru (European Line) left Kobe, via Moji and Shanghai for this port on the 5th May, and is expected to, arrive here on the Hilary, for Hongay.

14th May. The H. A. L. steamer Acilia, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 11th May, at 8 a.m., and may be expected here oner about the 16th May. O. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Yangisze left

Kobe on the 11th May for Hongkong via Moji, and is due here on 19th The I.-C. S. N. Co. Ld.'s s.s. Namsang left Calcutta for this port via The

Straits on 5th May, and may be expected here on or about 21st May. The s.s. Lothian seiled from New York on the 21st April for China and Japan. The Boston S. S. Co.'s s.s. Tremont sailed from Shanghai on the 8th May, for Hongkong via Maoila.

The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Peshawur, left Singapore for this port on the 9th May, at 6 a.m.

bay Line), left Bombay via Singapore and child expected to arrive here on the 27th Miss Goodrick The P. & A. Co.'s s.c. Aragonia sailed from Astoria on April 29th, and is Mr M. Iwasaki due to arrive at this port on May 27th. Mra Jackson & child Miss Sullivan

The Ben Line steamer Benlomond, from Miss King Antwerp and London, left Singapore Mr R. Kohleron the 10th May, for this port, Latest Advices. The N. Y. K. s.s. Nikko Maru (Australian Line), left Manila for this port on the 12th May, and is expected to Mr P. R. Adam arrive here on the 14th May, at noon. Mr C. J. Allen. The N. Y. K. s.s. Yawata Marie (Austra- Mr. H. G. Anderson

arrive here on the 15th May. he P. & A. Co.'s s.s. Arabia left Moji on-Friday, the 11th May, between 2 and 4 p.m., and will be due at this port Mr. E. P. Ersking Mr. J. D. W. The op Tuesday, the 16th May, at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, the 16th May, at 5 p.m. The C. P. R. Co. s s.s. Monteagle arrived at Mr.B. G. Fogg Kobe at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, the 9th Mrs E. S. Hall May, and left again at 5 p.m. on Thursday for Yokohama, where she Mr.C. Holymudler is due to arrive at 5 a.m. on Saturday, Mrs Jack

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. May 11. Rambler, British surveying vessel, from Kennglee, Chinese str.; from Canton.

Fiume, German str., from Canton. May 12. Shausi, British steamer, 1,228, F. Boyd,

BUTTERHELD & SWIRE. Wakasa Maru, Japanese str., 3,884, J. W. Wale, Yokohama April 28, General and Coal.-Nippon YUBEN KARHA. Castor, Norwegian steamer, 775, John

Martin, Langkat May 3, Petroleum.-Geo. McBain & Co. Maidzuru Maru, Japanese str., 1,089, Miss Bisney

A. Merlin, Anping, via Amoy and Mr W. S. Bissell Swatow May 11, General -- OSAKA SHOSEN Mr. F. G. Brighton

Buichow, British str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES. May 12. Hopsing, for Shanghai. Dortmund, for Calcutta.

Rubi, for Manila. Clara Jebsen, for Bangkok. left Vancouver on Monday afternoon, Gregory Apour, for Singapore and Calcutts, the 30th April for Hongkong, via the Tydeus, for Nagasaki. Ohousang, for Swatow.

> CLEARED. Andalusia, for Shanghai, Castor, for Tientsin. Daigi Maru, for Swatow, Machew, for Swatow. Mandal, for Tsingtau. Shans, for Canton. Eskdale, for Calcutta.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Shansi reports First part, light variable airs: moderate N.E. to East winds, fine weather

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Vladivostock Orange Branch (B) ... Dodwell & Co. Limited About end of May. Victoria, B.C., Seattle Kaga Maru (s)...... Nippon Yusan Kaisha: May. 29, at 4 p.m. Victoria, B.C., Tacoma Trement (a) Dodwell & Co. Limited May 26. Victoria, B.C., Tacoms Lyra (s) Dodwell & Co. Limited July 3. Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Tartar (a) Canadian P'fic R. Co. May 23, Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Empress of China (s). Canadian Pine R. Co. May 30.

Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Empress of India (a)... Canadian Pfic R. Co June 10.

W'soi. C'foo & T'tsin. Huichow (s) Butterfield & Swire ... May 14.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS May 12, 1906.				
Blocks.	No. of Shares.	Value	Paid	Rosing Quotatum.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. National Bank of China, Limited	80,000	125	e 5	\$850, seiler London, £89.10 \$38, buyers
Oanton Insurance Office Co., Ed Ohins Traders Insurance Co., Ed North-China Insurance Co., Ed	10,000 24,000 10,000	\$ 250 \$ 83.83 £ 15	£ 25	\$355, buyers Nominal Property of the S71
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